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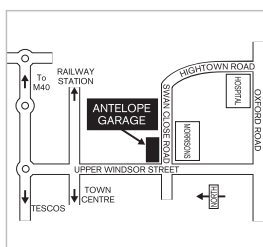
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Man charged with murder of former resident in a caravan

TRIBUTES TO STAB VICTIM

By Oliver Evans

TRIBUTES have been paid to a former Banbury resident who was stabbed and killed at a caravan park just outside Oxford.

Former neighbours of Jenny Hume, 55, said they were shocked by her killing at Prospect Park in Horspath.

The grandmother-of-three was killed by a head wound and also suffered stab wounds.

Her body was found in a caravan at 2am on Friday.

Stewart Dale, 27, who lives at the park, was charged on Saturday with murder and appeared in court this week.

Ms Hume lived in Ferriston on the Hardwick estate in Banbury from, it is understood, 2002 to 2007.

Terry Smith, who has lived three doors down from her former home for 33 years, said: "I am shocked, it is the last thing you expect.

"She was a nice lady. I saw her a bit, she kept herself to herself. I think she worked as a carer.

"She was a very pleasant lady – you couldn't fault her."

In a short statement her family said: "Jenny Hume, aged 55, was a divorcee and lived in Oxford.

"She was a mother of three and a devoted grandmother of three.

"Her main interests were looking after her grandchildren and in her spare time she also enjoyed horse-riding."

Police found Ms Hume dead at the

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Former Banbury resident Jenny Hume, who was found dead on Friday



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■ Caravan park resident in court on murder charge

Victim of killing 'will be missed'



Folk rockers mark anniversary with gig

FOLK legends and Oxfordshire festival favourites Fairport Convention, above, will celebrate 45 years of

gigging on Sunday. The folk rock act – who organise the Cropredy Festival every summer – first played

together in a church hall in Golders Green on May 27, 1967. The group will play in

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static caravan after a concerned neighbour alerted them.

They said a post mortem examination showed she suffered stab wounds, but was killed by blunt trauma to the head.

Neighbours of Ms Hume, who lived in Hamel Walk, Oxford, paid tribute.

Sheila Ford, 43, who lived next door, said: "She was such a lovely person. This is such a shock to me."

"She was very friendly and she absolutely idolised her young grandson. He will miss her terribly."

She said Ms Hume had lived alone in the housing association flat for nearly four years.

She said: "She had a heart of gold. She would have given you her last penny. I got on with her and she got on with me. We always had a laugh."

The cleaner said she understood Ms Hume was taking a training course at Oxford Brookes University. But she said she had no idea how Ms Hume, who she said had four brothers, ended up in Horspath.

Dale appeared before Oxford magistrates on Tuesday faced a charge of murder. The case was adjourned and he was remanded in custody ahead of a stab hearing.

InBRIEF

Vehicle blaze shuts avenue

■ **BANBURY:** Concord Avenue was closed after a blue Vauxhall Astra caught fire on Monday morning.

The fire service was called at 7.31am and the road was shut until a recovery vehicle arrived because it was feared the vehicle was leaking fuel.

No-one was injured, the fire service said. The road reopened at about 9am.

Card store is under threat

■ **BANBURY:** Uncertainty surrounds the future of the town's branch of Clinton Cards, in Castle Quay, after plans were announced to close 350 stores.

Administrators said the business was "burdened with an untenable retail estate" and the move will see 2,800 full- and part-time staff lose their jobs in a wave of store closures starting next week and continuing into June.

It is not clear if Banbury is among those to be shut or part of the remainder of the 784-store portfolio to escape the axe.

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InBRIEF

New leader for Labour

■ **N OXON:** Banbury councillor Pat Cartledge has been elected the new Labour group leader on Cherwell District Council. She takes over the mantle from Les Sibley.

Ms Cartledge, who won a seat in the Ruscott ward last year, has been a local councillor for 13 years.

Royal items are required

■ **BANBURY:** Royal memorabilia is being sought ahead of an exhibition to celebrate The Queen's Diamond Jubilee.

Royal mementoes will go on display at Banbury Town Hall from Monday to the following Monday from 10am to 4pm. To donate items, contact Banbury Town Council on 01295 250340.

Country park plan backed

■ **BANBURY:** Plans for a new country park in the town should be approved, a council officer's report has recommended.

The report urges Cherwell District Council members to approve the plan, for land by Wildmere Industrial Estate, today at 4pm.

■ Author began writing after his redundancy

'Lost job gave me kick-start'

By Oliver Evans

FORMER Alcan factory worker Dominic James has seen his new career go from strength to strength after writing his second book and landing a career in publishing.

He was among workers let go from the Banbury aluminium factory when it closed in 2007, giving him the chance to pursue his love of writing.

His first book, *The Reiki Man*, was published by John Hunt Publishing last year and the sequel, *Fear of the Fathers*, will be launched on Saturday.

And the 40-year-old from Banbury has landed a commissioning role with the Hampshire-based firm and is now in charge of Roundfire Books.

The factory in Southam Road employed up to 3,000 people and produced 60 per cent of the metal for planes during the early years of the Second World War.

But production dwindled and it is now being redeveloped as an industrial estate.

Mr James said: "I went there as a stop gap between jobs and ended up there for six years.

"When I was made redundant, financially it was very difficult but it was an opportunity, that is the way I saw it. I had been stagnating there for too long."

The Briggs Close resident said: "At first it was a bit demoralising but when I thought about it I thought 'I didn't want to be there anyway'.

"It was the kick up the backside that I needed."

Inspired by his passion for fiction, Mr James devised a trilogy telling the story of the global hunt for a box which unlocks mankind's secrets.

He said: "I had to keep plugging away. After about 60 rejections I got this publisher to take me on."

"You just have to keep going on in darkest hours."

And he said of his commissioning role: "I like the book, the editing, I get paid for that on commission of sales so that is what is bringing the money in."

The Reiki Man has sold 450 copies and Mr James hopes the trilogy will attract more readers.

He said: "What I really want is for the trilogy to sell, that is my ultimate dream."

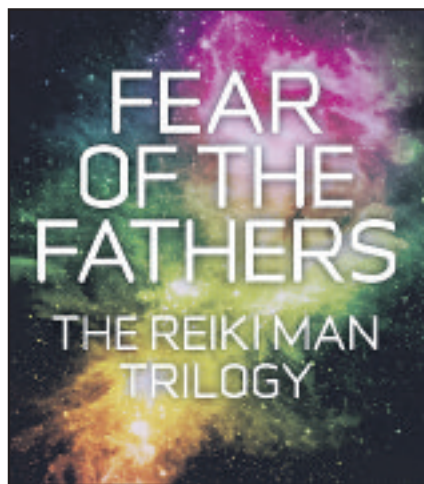
"I am very grateful."

Catherine Harris, head of sales and marketing at the publisher, said: "He is doing some good publicity for us and running one of our fiction imprints."

Mr James will launch the book in Waterstones in Castle Quay, Banbury, on Saturday from 10am to 3pm.



Dominic James and his book



Homes for over-55s complete

A £9.7m new housing scheme for the over-55s has been completed.

Most of the 70 flats at Stanbridge House in Ruskin Road, Banbury – including 24-hour support

staff – have been taken, but applications are invited for rent and shared ownership. The Government gave £5m towards the scheme. Cherwell District

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■ Housing chief: I can't see how anyone can afford not to have this work done

Insulation for all: Big civic offer is revealed

By Oliver Evans

NORTH Oxfordshire residents are being offered free home insulation in the biggest scheme of its kind in Cherwell district.

All householders are entitled to free cavity wall insulation under the Government-funded scheme. And homes with less than 60mm of loft insulation will also get work for free.

Previously, district homes paid £99 for each type of insulation and this was £49 for Bicester because of extra public funding for its new eco-town.

Cherwell District Council urged residents to take up the scheme, which runs to September.

Both types of insulation would cost £700 privately and residents will save about £300 in fuel a year, bosses said.

Homes will need to be surveyed first, which is also free.

Lead member for housing Debbie Pickford said: "I can't see how anyone can afford not to have this work done."

"Those who could afford to have work carried out under the previous deal will have already seen the benefit in their bills."

The offer opened last week and runs until the end of September.

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MP helps to launch carers campaign



PEOPLE who look after loved ones must know help is at hand, Tony Baldry MP said as he launched this year's Carers Week.

The Banbury Conservative MP said residents in the county could make use of services, like respite care to give them a break.

Mr Baldry, co-chairman of the All-Party Parliamentary Group for Carers, said: "Caring can be incredibly demanding and so it is vital for them to know that they don't have to struggle alone."

He was joined by former GMTV presenter Fiona Philips to launch this year's awareness-raising event, which will run from June 18 to 24.

Carers Week manager Helen Clarke said the care system was in "crisis" and had been hit by cuts, with many carers being forced to give up work.

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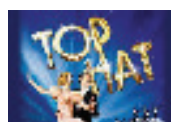
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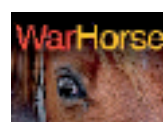
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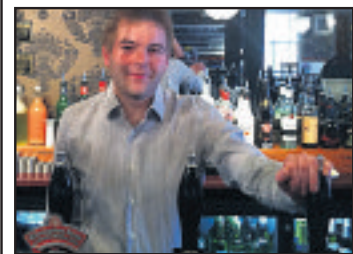
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New challenge for young pub entrepreneur

HE bought a pub, aged 22, with cash made from playing the Stock Market while he was a student.

Ben Williams's North Yorkshire watering hole later went on to win an AA Rosette and a Michelin Bib Gourmand.

Now, six years on, he hopes to use his skills in the pub trade to

turn around a Banbury watering hole. He has just taken over the Coach and Horses, in Butchers Row, with a view to making it a vital town venue. The building got a makeover last autumn by owners Hook Norton Brewery.

He said: "It used to be a spit-and-sawdust place, but very busy."

Attracting drinkers back is key, he said, as well as improving the food on offer, though it will be more pub grub than Michelin extravagance.

Mr Williams said: "After years of having it totally on my head, I thought it would be nice to work for somebody else."

InBRIEF

Baby-charge trial delayed

■ The trial of a man charged in connection with the death of a toddler has been delayed. Tayler Mason died from his injuries at the John Radcliffe Hospital, Oxford, in November 2010. He had been admitted to the Horton Hospital, Banbury, a week earlier. The 22-month-old boy's father, Craig Mason, denies a charge of wilfully assaulting, ill-treating, neglecting, or abandoning a child. He was due to stand trial last week, but the 31-year-old, of Stuart Road, Brackley, will now face jurors on October 1.

Food bank's new appeal

■ A FOOD bank, which was launched in December, has renewed its appeal for donations. The People's Church, in Horsefair, Banbury, is looking for items like soup, pasta sauces and jam. People who are referred by their doctor, social worker or other care professionals can get three days' worth of supplies. The food bank is open Tuesday and Friday from 10am to midday. Call 01295 661301.

■ Memorial to be unveiled 70 years after bomber crew are killed

Village plans salute to war crash victims

By Oliver Evans

THE site of a bomber crash in North Oxfordshire is to be marked 70 years after the tragedy.

Relatives of the six crew members killed on December 28, 1942, will attend the unveiling of a memorial stone in Bodicote next month.

Their names and rank will be listed on a plaque on the Horton stone boulder as part of The Queen's Diamond Jubilee celebrations.

The Wellington bomber was on a routine 25-minute test flight, likely to have taken off from Shipston-on-Stour, Warwickshire, when historians believe it struck a tree, crashing into a valley.

No cause of the accident was ever established, although a witness reported seeing it fly low, leading some to speculate that this may have been due to bad weather or to test the pilot's fitness.

Recent research has shed more light on where the plane crashed and its history, leading villagers to now mark the spot.

Among those set to attend is Beryl Sidery, who had been married to pilot John "Gordon" Byrne for just 13 weeks before he was killed, aged 22.

Mrs Sidery said: "I think it is wonderful to be able to go to the spot where he died."

The 92-year-old from Sheffield kisses his photograph every night.

She said: "I have his photograph on my mantelpiece.

I talk to him every day. It is like he hasn't gone. He is somewhere else."

She still remembers meeting her husband-to-be at a college dance in the city when they were both just 18.

Mrs Sidery said: "He took hold of my hand and said 'hello' and I said 'who on earth are you?'"

"He had an absolutely gorgeous smile. He asked me to sit down and have a drink and a dance . . . and that was it."

And she still remembers the moment her mother told her of her loss.

She said: "I thought 'oh god, not that'. It was dreadful."

Younger brother Philip Byrne, 82, said the family was moved by the memorial, organised by Bodicote Parish Council.

He said: "It is absolutely wonderful after all these years.

"The accident was very traumatic."

Others lost were Flight Sergeant Jack Thompson, 26; Flt Sgt William McMillan, 26; Leading Aircraftman Leslie Nicholson, 20; Aircraftman John Beaumont, 19 and Aircraftman Granville Broadhurst, 19.

Muriel Broadhurst, widow of Granville, also hopes to attend the event.

Parish councillor Nigel Buttler said: "We should not forget those who lost their lives in the war."

Rev Ben Phillips, of nearby St John the Baptist church, will carry out the dedication ceremony at 2.30pm on Saturday, June 2. Local people are welcome to attend.



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Oxfordshire County Council's new leader sets out his policy ideas after taking control

My priorities

KICKSTARTING Oxfordshire's economy by cutting red tape is top of the list for Oxfordshire's new county council boss.

Ian Hudspeth last week officially took over as county council leader after his predecessor, Keith Mitchell, stood down.

Setting out his policy ideas and priorities for the coming months, the 52-year-old said he hoped to tackle the problems of Oxfordshire's struggling schools and bed blocking crisis, while continuing the council's programme of cuts and volunteer-run libraries.

But his first major change is creating a new cabinet post to help boost the county's economy.

He has drafted in fellow councillor Nick Carter to go out to talk to small- and medium-sized businesses to identify and cut bureaucracy in local government.

Mr Hudspeth said: "Small businesses are the key to Oxfordshire's economy and we need to strip away the bureaucracy to get them working.

"Dealing with local governments can be a bureaucratic nightmare.

"I would love to attract multi-national companies to Oxfordshire, but the reality is that real growth has got to be in small- and medium-sized businesses."

By Tom Jennings

He hopes that by cutting bureaucracy he can bring such businesses to Oxfordshire, encourage start-ups and boost existing firms.

Mike Jennings, chairman of Jennings of Garsington and founder of entrepreneur mentoring group Oxford Business Mentors, welcomed the plans.

He said: "It is really good to hear him say that he wants to support the private business sector. But I would prefer him to be talking about micro-, small- and medium-sized businesses and focus on the micro-companies.

"The vast majority of businessmen and women run micro-businesses in Oxfordshire and they are being excluded by our public sector at the moment."

He said governments had focused on large businesses with a proven track record but, although riskier, more economic growth would come from supporting micro-firms.

He also welcomed Mr Hudspeth's plans to cut local government bureaucracy, saying: "There is layer upon layer of rules and regulations, which do not all come from the local authority. But some of them do, and it is stifling in terms of time, effort and delay,

particularly in terms of planning.

"A supportive environment from our public sector would be welcome."

Last month, a major survey looking at the county's economy showed that 70 per cent of firms were reporting a rise in turnover and new orders over the past year.

The Business Barometer survey also showed a further 47 per cent predicted they would take on more workers in the coming months.

Mr Hudspeth was elected leader of the council's ruling Conservative group last month and his main task will be taking the party into the 2013 full council elections.

He said: "I can promise the electorate that I will work as hard as possible, and be as open and transparent as possible, to deliver good services for the residents of Oxfordshire in these financially challenging times.

"My style inevitably will be different from Keith's, but it is up to people to make that judgment. I am not going to be critical of Keith.

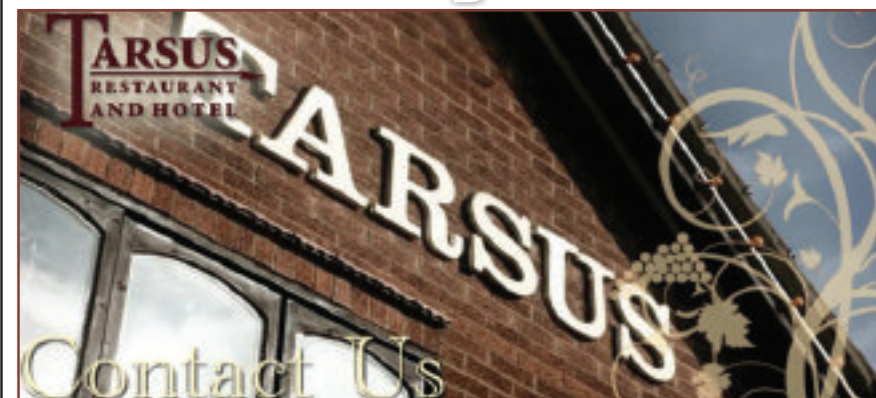
"I want to be viewed as my own person but we are in the final year of the administration and we are delivering those manifesto pledges.

"Next year, when the budget will be under my leadership, more of my personality will be involved."



Oxfordshire's new county council boss, Ian Hudspeth

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Postcards from police

■ **N OXON:** Residents will soon be getting postcards from the police.

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Train times are analysed

■ **OXON:** Chiltern Railways is the leading performer among Oxfordshire's train operators, according to Network Rail.

Last month 95.2 per cent of the firm's services reached their destinations on time, slightly down from 95.5 per cent in March. The punctuality of First Great Western was 92.9 per cent and CrossCountry 89.9 per cent.

InBRIEF

MP praises group's work with dogs

■ **BANBURY:** MP Tony Baldry has heralded the work of a charity in tackling the problem of dog attacks.

Mr Baldry met with Dogs Trust staff at the House of Commons last week, when he was told about their work.

The Dogs Trust works with residents, police, housing

associations and other groups to encourage owners to train, neuter and microchip their dogs.

Mr Baldry said: "Whilst legislation has its part to play, it is important to emphasise that outreach work within local communities is also vital to engage dog owners and to help prevent dog attacks."

HS2's team revealed

■ **OXON:** The controversial high-speed rail project, which will go through north Oxfordshire, is hiring 60 spin doctors, it has been reported.

According to *The Sunday Times*, HS2, the taxpayer-funded body behind the project, is recruiting a head of public affairs to run the team "building trust and respect" in the scheme.

Free checks on your teeth

■ **BANBURY:** Free dental health checks will be offered outside Marks & Spencer, in Bridge Street, on Tuesday.

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InCOURT

Appearing before Banbury magistrates

■ **Sheryll Smith**, 37, of Mold Crescent, Banbury, admitted stealing a one-litre bottle of Smirnoff vodka, worth £21.29, from the Co-op in Chipping Norton and obstructing PCSO Kirstyn Tyrer on October 11. She was given a 12-month conditional discharge.

■ **Samantha McKinnon**, 41, of Samuelson Court, Banbury, admitted stealing meat and dairy products worth £57.19 from Tesco, Banbury. Given a 12-month conditional discharge and told to pay £40 costs.

■ **Jayson Moore**, 22, of Lidsey Road, Banbury, admitted drunk and disorderly behaviour and resisting a police constable in the execution of his duty on March 3 in Banbury. Fined a total £500, with a victims' surcharge of £50 and £85 costs.

■ **Leam Warren**, 19, of Bath Road, Banbury, admitted possessing cannabis in Banbury on March 3. Given a six-month conditional discharge and told to pay £40 costs.

■ **Matthew Parkes**, 23, of Oxford Road, Bodicote, admitted driving without insurance, driving without a licence and drink-driving in Bloxham Road, Banbury, on March 8. Had 114mg of alcohol in 100ml of urine, above the legal limit of 107mg. Fined £300, a £15 victims' surcharge and £40 costs. Banned from driving for a year.

■ **Hayley Stout**, 24, of Rotary Way, Banbury, admitted shoplifting four bottles of vodka valued at £37.39 from Aldi in Banbury on May 4 and a sat-nav in Bicester on April 17. Also admitted driving without a licence and driving without insurance in Beaumont Road, Banbury, on May 4. Given a four-week prison sentence, suspended for 16 weeks. Given six penalty points.

■ **Stuart Hutchings**, 37, of

Mold Crescent, Banbury, admitted possessing 62 tablets of buprenorphine (Class C), shoplifting a £21.29 bottle of vodka from the Co-op and resisting arrest in Chipping Norton on October 11. Fined £580, a £15 victims' surcharge, £150 costs and told to pay £21.29 compensation.

■ **Caroline O'Connell**, 32, of Jubilee Court, Banbury, admitted shoplifting four jars of coffee valued at £15.96 from Family Bargains in Banbury on November 21 and shoplifting two packs of meat from Co-op in Banbury on November 10. Jailed for 112 days due to "previous convictions and unwillingness to comply with community orders".

■ **Nazre Wright**, 23, of Rodney Close, Birmingham, admitted destroying a car windscreen and window valued at £750 in Banbury on September 20. Told to pay £750 compensation.

■ **Nicholas Brain**, 20, of Princethorpe Drive, Banbury, admitted criminally damaging a light casing and using threatening, abusive or insulting words or behaviour with intent to cause harassment, alarm or distress in Banbury on February 11. Fined £300, a £15 victims' surcharge and £85 costs.

■ **Tommy Meachin**, 20, of Lunals Farm, Bloxham, admitted acquiring, using or having possession of criminal property, namely a quad bike, in Devon, on August 14. Fined £200, a £15 victims' surcharge and £85 costs.

■ **Prajesh Patel**, 18, of North Street, Banbury, admitted driving without due care and attention, driving without insurance and failing to stop after a collision in which injury was caused in Southam Road, Banbury, on October 26. Fined £375, a £15 victims' surcharge and £40 costs, told to pay £300 compensation and banned from driving for a year.

Homes plan moves ahead

DEVELOPERS behind stalled plans for 950 homes between Banbury and Bodicote are taking a move towards getting all the permissions it needs.

JJ Gallagher Ltd and Halland Land Management got permission for the Bankside development in 2009, but it has not been built due to the recession.

Cherwell District Council's planning committee will be asked to agree that conditions for the development have been met when members meet tonight.

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Landlords Jem Morey and Anthony Murray have been trading from the Wine Vaults for 18 months, and together they have created a local venue with a warm and friendly atmosphere, somewhere to meet friends, experience premier local music and enjoy great food.

Music seems to be a main passion for Jem and Anthony, who take great care in selecting the right background music and finding the best local bands and DJ's. They love nothing more than finding out what music their customers like and trying to source their favourites for their next visit. This makes a change from the standard pop music you hear on a loop in many other pubs and inns.

The Wine Vaults have recently launched their new Gourmet Burger Bar – something not currently offered anywhere else in Banbury. Already a favourite with locals, the fresh meat is supplied by a local butcher. They offer meat and vegetarian options, as well as a create your own option. If you fancy something different they offer 'The Aussie' burger made with bacon, fried egg, beetroot,

pineapple, lettuce and tomato. For those that enjoy all that is English, they also offer "The Full English Breakfast" complete with all you could imagine from one of Britain's most famous meals!

Recently re-decorated and looking great, this traditional yet trendy pub is ready to impress. With its cult canvases and posters, local bands, alternative music style and varied alcohol brands, you are sure to find something to love about The Wine Vaults.

Look out for the return of Vaultstock this year, raising money for local charities, and their beer festival during the Diamond Jubilee. This summer is set to be great at The Wine Vaults, Banbury – so don't miss out! Join their Facebook page and stay up to date with Jem, Anthony and the team.

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Council chairman is ex-policeman

■ **CHERWELL:** Retired police officer Colin Clarke has been appointed the new chairman of Cherwell District Council.

The Calthorpe councillor said: "The roles of police officer and councillor are similar in that both are there to help solve problems experienced by the public and promote the wellbeing of the town and district."

His vice chairman is Lawrie Stratford.

Meanwhile, the next meeting of the council's executive will be held on Monday at Bodicote House, Bodicote, at 6.30pm. For details visit tinyurl.com/brhmta2

Pet dog rescued from fire

■ **CHIPPING NORTON:** Firefighters rescued a dog from a house fire in Hailey Avenue.

The fire service was called to the fire at 2.18pm on Friday.

The blaze was in the ground floor of a mid-terrace house and no-one was injured.

Firefighters rescued the family's pet and are investigating the cause.

InBRIEF

Homeowner catches burglar at it

■ **WROXTON:** A burglar who was caught in the act by a homeowner has been jailed.

Darren Claypole was sentenced at Oxford Crown Court on Friday after admitting the offence.

The 37-year-old broke into a property in Stratford Road, Wroxton, on March 13.

He was unable to steal anything before being caught by a woman who had returned to the property.

Claypole, of Friars Hill, Wroxton, has a previous conviction for a domestic burglary and was warned by Judge Bruce McIntyre he would

be jailed for a minimum of three years under the 'three strikes' rule if he burgled again.

The judge told him: "You were disturbed by the owner returning to the house. It's clear you must have given her the most enormous shock which she is finding it difficult to recover from."

"This is your second qualifying offence in relation to a dwelling house burglary. That means if you commit another one the minimum sentence will be three years."

Claypole was jailed for 18 months.

Homes are rejected

■ **N OXON:** Plans for six affordable homes in Maffording will not go ahead, an appeal inspector has ruled.

The Cascade Partnership wanted to build six homes, at Deejay Farm, in Chestnut Road.

Cherwell District Council threw out the scheme in August.

The developer appealed to the Planning Inspectorate, which last week backed the council. Some 43 residents opposed the application.

Wrong date for Jubilee beacon

■ **AN article in last week's Banbury Cake** headlined 'Countdown to Jubilee' stated an event where a beacon will be lit in Spiceball Park to honour The Queen's Diamond Jubilee will take place on Sunday, June 3. In fact, the event will be held on Monday, June 4, from 9pm.

■ **An article on May 10** headlined 'Council to spend £1.5m to redirect local drivers' stated a mooted "south east relief road" in Banbury would connect Hennef Way to Bloxham Road.

In fact, the road would go from Ermont Way to Oxford Road. We apologise for the errors.

A huge rise in tyre dumping

By Oliver Evans

WASTE chiefs are baffled by a surge in dumped tyres across North Oxfordshire.

Some 900 tyres were dumped in the Cherwell district from January to April, compared to 250 in the same period last year.

This year's total is now more than 1,000 after 160 were left in Station Road, Cropredy, on Tuesday, May 15.

Cherwell District Council said this cost more than £900 to clean up and now wants the public to help find the culprits.

A council spokesman said they could not explain the increase.

Council lead member for clean and green issues Nigel Morris said: "We have already had more than 20 tyre dumps since January this year and this needs to stop."

"The problem is, as with all fly-tipping incidents, these tend to happen in secluded places at quiet times of the day."

"We can't possibly have eyes and ears everywhere so we have to rely on people reporting suspi-



Nigel Morris, Cherwell District Council's lead member for clean and green issues

cious activity to us when they see it."

Other tyres have been left in places including Claydon, Bicester, Banbury, Adderbury and Caversfield.

Anyone with information should email service@cherwell-dc.gov.uk or call 01295 227983.

It cost Cherwell District Council £15,000-£18,000 to clear up tyres in the 2011/12 financial year.

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Focusing on a private world

By Liz Nicholls

SIMON Murison-Bowie is uniquely placed to capture a distinctly private view.

Armed with an almost-silent medium-format camera and decades of experience, he has caught artists from across the county lost in their own worlds.

And you can see the startlingly intimate results at *Artists & Studios: Private Views* at The Mill's Foyer Gallery until June 3.

"I am a documentary photographer – I don't pose or arrange people. Essentially, I 'take' and don't 'make'," says Simon.

"I photographed people doing what they enjoy and the absorbment each artist had in what they were doing meant I could fade into the background.

"I am discreet, there is no sound to my shutter – I can disappear into the woodwork.

Artweeks commissioned Simon to take pictures of 30 county artists to mark the 30th anniversary of Artweeks – an event which is close to Simon's heart.

"The public has a real fascination with Artweeks and it's always hugely enjoyable," he says.

"People are fascinated with the studios themselves and astonished by the variety of things artists do.

"There are well over a thousand people in the county who are contributing to Artweeks."

Simon, a winner of the Mary Moser award, started working on *Artists & Studios* four years ago when an artist asked whether he could photograph her in her studio.

Recommendations for subjects snowballed. Simon knew many of the artists beforehand with others' names passed on to him.

Simon's personal favourite subject was Betty Blandino, the influential potter who died last year.

"I knew Betty well and admired her greatly. Several people were taught by her. Another subject of mine, [the potter] Lucy Butterwick, was taught and was hugely inspired by her. By turn, Lucy's husband Jon Gordon volunteered to interview all the artists as part of this project."

So, the nature of the project has resulted in a series of monochrome pictures which reflect layer upon layer of intimacy.

"The pictures are very much a question about what it says about people's practice, their relationship with their work," adds Simon.



"It is about photographing the unseeable – the atmosphere between the person and what they are creating, and the space they create for themselves."

With five pictures of each subject, the network of 150 pictures has also been published as a book – also called *Artists & Studios: Private Views* – with additional Arts Council support. The book features essays by Michael Stanley and Simon Olding as well as Simon's pictures.

He spent five-and-a-half weeks processing the monochrome photographs in his own darkroom – an experience he says he will not repeat... until the next time.

And so would he be tempted to move into digital photography to cut out several of these time-honoured steps?

"No. I never photographed digitally. I don't feel the need to use digital. I have quality camera and film, and, truly, digital is completely out of my range.

"I know I'm a retro dinosaur but that's what I'm comfortable with and the results are what I was hoping to achieve."

■ Having started off at Modern Art Oxford, the Artweeks exhibition moved to The Mill in Spiceball Park, Banbury, in May and will remain until the Jubilee weekend. Call the Mill on 01295 279002.

■ *Artists & Studios: Private Views* is £14.99, published by Oxford Folio.



POIGNANT: The late Betty Blandino and, left, jeweller Terry Thomson at work

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Thoughtful Oxford female, 41, 5', medium-build, fair-hair, blue-eyes, smoker, likes swimming, holidays, pubs and meals out, seeks a genuine male for friendship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 122427 or send a text to 80360

ENJOY AND SHARE LIFE

Curvy, outgoing Oxford female, 42, 5'8", works in health care, enjoys meals out, the outdoors and family life, would like to meet a man, to share good times and more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 123624 or send a text to 80360

NOTHING MORE TO ASK FOR

44yr old short haired lady, medium build, Wallingford, based, loves family life, animals, keeping fit, gardening, cooking, driving, seeks honest, caring man for tlc. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 107602

STARTING FRESH

Separated, caring Witney woman, 44, honest, GSOH, trustworthy, enjoys family life, swimming, music, theatre, cinema and walks, seeking a similar man, kind and sincere, for dates & laughter. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 116588 or send a text to 80360

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Blondie, cuddly female, 48, 5ft, pastry chef, with children, searching for a youthful chap, to share life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 113078 or send a text to 80360

START LIVING AGAIN

Friendly, fun Oxfordshire divorced mum, 50, grown up children, looking for love again and someone to share life with. Is the right man out there for me? Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 798804

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Caring Oxford lady, 50, likes travel, walks and more, seeking for a nice, non-smoking man, 59-65, for companionship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 120248 or send a text to 80360

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TIME TO START AFRESH Black, caring, African Epsom lady, 5'2", likes countryside, gardening, cooking and holidays, 50-70 for a long term relationship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 117888 or send a text to 80360

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Down to earth Witney male, 62, fair-hair, slim-build, likes classical music, theatre, walking and the countryside, seeking a similar gent to enjoy good company with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 122557 or send a text to 80360

DO YOU HAVE A KIND HEART?

Oxford widow, 56, 5'3", blue-eyes, works full-times, enjoys socialising, walking my dogs, theatre, eating out & family life, seeking a decent man, to enjoy life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 123053 or send a text to 80360

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Honest, bubbly female, 55, kind, loving, seeks 6ft+ male, for romance, companionship & lots more. Bicest. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 110670

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POSSIBLE RELATIONSHIP

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EACH DAY IS A NEW ONE Blue-eyed Oxfordshire widow, 64, loves walks, reading, films, gardening and family life, searching for a nice gent, to share a warm and lasting relationship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 105525

NEW IN TOWN

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ALL FOR EACH OTHER

Tactile Calne widow, 70, enjoys nights out, cooking, animals, holidays when possible, would love to meet a male who wants companionship and maybe more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 120683 or send a text to 80360

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ROMANCE IS ALIVE

Happy go lucky male, 45, no-ties, likes walking my dog, gardening, watching football and meals out, seeking an easygoing female, 40-50, for friendship and romance. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 124415 or send a text to 80360

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Happy, active Abingdon man, 46, GSOH, med build, swimming, enjoys walking, positive and cinema, would like to meet a similar lady, 50-75, fit and positive, for friendship and maybe more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 114348 or send a text to 80360

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MAKING IT HAPPEN

Laid-back male, 56, 5'7", muscular build, looking for a fun female, 40-60, for fun, laughter & more. Reading. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 104111

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Upbeat Wantage male, 57, likes sports, horse racing and meeting people, looking for a woman with a good sense of humour, 40-50, for friendship hopefully leading to more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 116553

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Presentable, educated chap, 65, enjoys the arts, history, places of interest, exploring towns/countryside on foot, with attractive, vivacious lady, for romance. Oxford. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 101058

READY TO MOVE ON

Young, caring Didcot guy, 62, 5'9", enjoys the sea, reading and boating, would like to meet a similar lady for companionship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 117043 or send a text to 80360

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MADE FOR EACH OTHER Handsome, healthy, friendly, easygoing Marlborough gent, 59, non-smoker, enjoys the outdoors, would like to meet an attractive lady to share friendship and more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 120679 or send a text to 80360

BETTER WITH COMPANY

Tactile male, 61, 5'7", wears glasses, likes days out, country walks, evenings in, looking for a young lady, 50-60, to enjoy these good times together. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box

Third time plucky for this double act

MEN IN BLACK 3 (PG, 105 mins)
Sci-Fi/Action/Comedy. Will Smith, Tommy Lee Jones, Josh Brolin, Emma Thompson, Alice Eve, Jemaine Clement, Michael Stuhlbarg, Nicole Scherzinger. Director: Barry Sonnenfeld.

THIRD time's a charm for the sharp-suited *Men In Black*, who rediscover their swagger 10 years after the lacklustre second instalment.

Set largely in July 1969, MIB3 is a hare-brained time-travelling caper which ties up loose threads into a neat bow, suggesting this could and perhaps should be the end of the Smith and Jones double-act.

It would be an entertaining swansong for a franchise which burst on to the big screen in 1997.

Working in 3D for the first time, director Barry Sonnenfeld imbues each breathlessly orchestrated scene with impish humour, from a protracted kiss that churns stomachs to a slime-slathered skirmish with a giant fish.

A couple of the showpiece sequences merit the eye-popping format including a final showdown that inserts J and K into an iconic moment in history.

As usual, visual gags include the flickering video wall at MIB headquarters, which monitors alien activity on Earth and outs Lady Gaga, Justin Bieber and Tim Burton as extra-terrestrial visitors.

The film opens in the Lunar Max high security prison where a Boglodite assassin called Boris The Animal (Jemaine Clement) engineers a daring escape with help from his sexy girlfriend (Nicole Scherzinger).

The snarling supervillain plans to travel back in time and kill the man who put him behind bars and shot

Return Will Smith and Tommy Lee Jones in *Men in Black 3*



off his left arm: Agent K (Tommy Lee Jones).

The ripple effect causes Agent K to disappear from the future, heralding a full-scale Boglodite invasion of Earth.

"K's been dead for over 40 years," Agent O (Emma Thompson) tells a confused and disoriented Agent J (Will Smith) when he turns up for work.

Having ascertained the past has been altered, J also travels back to 1969, where he meets the young Agent K (Josh Brolin), who claims to be 29.

"You got some city miles on you..." quips J, speaking for us all.

With assistance from the young Agent O (Alice Eve) and an otherworldly soothsayer called Griffin (Michael Stuhlbarg), J races against the clock to save his best friend from annihilation.

Men In Black 3 initially treats us to Smith and Jones in full flow, the former turning to his grizzled partner and sighing: "I am getting too old for this. I can only imagine how you feel."

The script largely ignores race issues of the era to concentrate on slam-bang thrills, and invariably Smith's wise-cracking and the imaginative production design are the constant sources of wonder.

CakeWhat's on

Music

FRIDAY Carpenters Arms, High Street, Middle Barton: Jamie Felton. 9pm. 07944077036.

GF Club, Spiceball Park Road, Banbury: Jackie Faye. 9pm. £1. 01295 252852.

Musketeer, Ruscote Avenue, Banbury: Cody. Free. 9pm. 01295 269296.

SATURDAY Barley Mow, Warwick Road, Banbury: Cody. 9pm. 01295 269758.

GF Club, Spiceball Park Road, Banbury: Nightbird. 9pm. £1. 01295 252852.

Sports Park, Hithercroft Road, MONDAY Methodist Church, West Street, Chipping Norton: Singing For Fun (over-50s). 11am-12pm. £3. 01608 646901.

Cinema

Odeon, Horsefair, Banbury: *Beauty and the Beast, U (3-D)*, Sat-Sun 1pm. *Marvel Avengers*

Assemble, 12A (3-D), Fri-Tue 6pm (audio-described; subtitled Mon 5pm). *The Dictator*, 15, Fri-Tue

3.30, 9pm, Wed-Thu 6pm. *Men In Black 3*, PG, Sat-Sun 11.45am, daily 5.30pm; (3-D), daily 2.30, 8.30pm. *Snow White and the Huntsman*, 12A, Wed-Thu 3.15, 6, 9pm. Senior Screen: *The Vow*, 12A, Wed film 11am, ends 1.04pm. Odeon Kids: *Dolphin Tale*, U, Sat programme 10.45am, ends 12.42pm. *Prometheus*, 15, Thu midnight. 0871 224 4007.

The Theatre, 2 Spring Street, Chipping Norton: *Delicacy*, 12A, Sat 7.30pm. *Mozart's Sister*, 12A, Sun 7.30pm. *A Separation*, PG, Tue 7.30pm. *The Gospel of Us*, 12A, Wed 7.30pm. 01608 642350.

Theatre

Mill Arts Centre, Spiceball Park, Banbury: May 25, *The Churchfitters. Musicians*. 8pm. £12 adv, on the

door £14. 01295 279002
The Theatre, Spring Street, Chipping Norton: May 25, Pete Firman and Vikki Stone (award-winning singer and stand-up comedian). £10. 7.45pm. May 26, *Treasure Island*. £13, conces £11, schools £8.50. 3pm. May 31, *Love On The Tracks*. 7.45pm. 01608 642350

Events

FRIDAY Tooleys Boatyard (Corpus Gallery), Banbury Museum, Spiceball Park Road. Paintings by Don Henderson and sculpture and paintings by Katherine M Waters. Viewing 11-5pm. 01295 278690.

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Bowler Ryan takes five wickets to secure a second straight win

Banbury go to top of league

LUKE Ryan's impressive return of 5-37 gave Banbury their second straight victory of the season in Division 1.

The Oxfordshire bowler took wickets at regular intervals as his side recorded an 88-run victory over Burnham at their White Post Road ground.

All of Banbury's batsmen got starts, but none could go on to make a half-century as the hosts were bowled out for 196 in 66 overs.

Nathan Hawkes, who last week smashed a superb 157, again top-scored, this time with 42.

In reply, Ryan was the star-of-the-show, claiming his five-wicket haul in just 13 overs as Banbury built on their win over Bishop's Stortford to lead the table.

BANBURY

L Sabin lbw Bashir	35
I Tew b Aziz	11
C Haupt st Rochester b Khan	22
N Hawkes lbw Khan	42
J West b Aziz	23
J Cater b Bashir	22
L Ryan b Aziz	16
I Hawtin st Rochester b Bashir	1
A Blanchard c Rehman b Bashir	2
J Megson st Rochester b Aziz	1
J Phillips not out	11
Extras	10
Total (all out, 66 ovs)	196
Fall: 1-31, 2-61, 3-101, 4-142, 5-142, 6-145, 7-181, 8-183, 9-184.	

Bowling: Malik 4-1-18-0, Sarwar 4-1-10-0, Khan 26-8-69-2, Aziz 24-8-62-4, Bashir 8-1-30-4.

BURNHAM

R Rehman c Sabin b Ryan	23
A Shabbir lbw Blanchard	6
M Fazal c Haupt b Ryan	18
A Khan b Phillips	21
A Malik c Haupt b Ryan	2
O Sarwar c Haupt b Ryan	13
M Ahmed lbw Phillips	5
S Nadeem c Sabin b Phillips	7
N Bashir c Sabin b Ryan	2
S Aziz not out	10
M Rochester b Phillips	10
Extras	1
Total (all out, 30.5 ovs)	108
Fall: 1-11, 2-31, 3-62, 4-69, 5-76, 6-89, 7-89, 8-94, 9-100.	
Bowling: Blanchard 5-0-15-1, Megson 2-0-20-0, Ryan 13-0-37-5, Phillips 10.5-1-35-4.	

● Banbury 25pts, Burnham 6



Mini claims IRC victory



The Mini John Cooper Works S2000

PRODRIVE WRC Team driver Dani Sordo won the Corsica Rally, securing victory in the latest round of the Intercontinental Rally Challenge in a Prodrive-prepared Mini John Cooper Works S2000.

This was Sordo's debut in the IRC, who more usually competes in the World Rally Championship, and it was also his first major international rally victory.

Sordo spent the first part of the rally in a close fight with A-Basso Ford driver Giamdenico Basso and championship leader Andreas Mikkelsen (Skoda UK).

But after Basso was eliminated in a road section incident on Thursday night and Mikkelsen lost nearly three minutes with a Friday morning excursion, Sordo was free to control the pace for the rest of the rally.

In the end he won by 17.9 sec from Jan Kopecky in the Skoda.

By winning the event, Sordo helped show the competitiveness of Prodrive's newly-upgraded S2000 car.

Sordo will return to the World Rally Championship in next month with Banbury's Prodrive WRC Team in the MINI John Cooper Works WRC.

STARS with Claire Petulengro

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ARIES

Mar 21-Apr 19

I bet you feel so much happier now that you've made the effort to move on in life. The past is no longer a setback to you but an asset due to the very valuable lessons it taught you. Don't let new friends or even your family bully you into spending or lending money you don't really have. Stand up to them, it's about time. Call me now to hear how Venus is backing instant attractions.

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LIBRA

Sep 23-Oct 22

Mars is making you a little more moody than usual and you need to be careful that you don't say things you don't mean to those you love. You would be far better to put any excess energy into your work, which has been lacking your energies and time of late. Going out of your way for meetings can really help your reputation and finances. Give me a call now to hear more on your future.

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TAURUS

Apr 20-May 20

You find out secrets which change the way you view certain people in your life. This is a positive thing as you start to make those who really matter a priority again. Flinging is getting on the dangerous side at the weekend and it's time for many of you bulls to start making some choices about who you want as a partner. Call me now to hear why cancelled plans midweek are a good thing.

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SCORPIO

Oct 23-Nov 21

This is a really great time for love and romance. If that is Scorpio, you would take down those defences. If someone asked you then you would probably say that you didn't have any opportunities around you right now, but how wrong you would be. Wake up and smell the coffee and start living life again. Give me a ring now to hear why I'm so happy with where you're at in life right now.

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GEMINI

May 21-Jun 20

Friends let you down but this is really a blessing as you've been allowing certain people to take advantage of you for far too long now. Use this week to sit down and think about who in your life has really helped you and made the effort to make your life a better place to be. I think you'll be slightly surprised with the answer. Give me call now to hear who's got amazing news for you.

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SAGITTARIUS

Nov 22-Dec 21

Jupiter, the planet of self expansion, helps you get over the low spell you've been having. Don't be surprised if friends comment on the new you which they're seeing. You're happy, but have you realised this fact yet? I hope so Sagittarius, because you're not going to want to miss out on what this week's stars have in store for you. Call now so I can tell you all the good news.

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CANCER

Jun 21-Jul 22

Travel brings your life to a more interesting venue and you start to see the fun that you've been missing out on. In truth Cancer, you've been punishing yourself for the hurt which someone else caused you and it's time to make yourself a priority again. News of a past work contact puts a prime opportunity before you. Call me now to hear which signs are playing games in love.

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CAPRICORN

Dec 22-Jan 19

Enemies do you a favour by trying to daily with you this week as you know them better than they know themselves. New ventures you take on in the social world put the spring back in your step. Foreign shores also beckon and you get the chance to plan something which you thought was now out of your reach. Ring me now to hear why family have to come first this weekend.

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LEO

Jul 23-Aug 22

Finances have been somewhat up and down and unpredictable but this week they take a turn for the better and you start to feel more in control of your cash flow. Don't rule out trying to get closer to the face you've been watching from afar. With the current line up they're likely to be more compatible than you'd first dreamed. Ring me now to hear why Aries need special handling.

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AQUARIUS

Jan 20-Feb 18

Time you take out of life for you, and purely you this week, helps you to find the calm and relaxation which has so obviously been lacking in your life. For those of you who will not choose to take time, then the stars may force you to. Don't fight it, this is the planets' way of looking after you. Give me a ring now to hear which sign has an important announcement which will affect you.

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VIRGO

Aug 23-Sep 22

Energy levels are not as good as they have been so you may want to rethink all that you've been planning. Rather than letting friends and family down, you'd be wise to rearrange sooner rather than later. Calls you make and receive this week do a lot for your love life as passion finally kicks back into your life. Ring me now to hear why it's worth doing your job well on Monday.

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PISCES

Feb 19-Mar 20

Someone wants to get up close and personal with you but you appear to have very different ideas, don't you? Why not let them know, you don't have to be rude to state where things stand you know. Things you discover about a family member help you to work out why they've been acting so strangely of late. Call me now to hear how Gemini can help you get ahead in your career.

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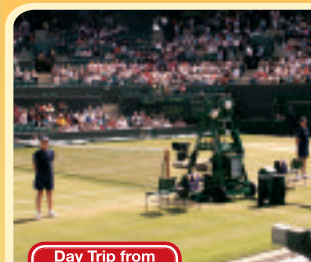
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Developers offer a range of deals

By Gill Oliver

A RANGE of offers, designed to tempt buyers, has been made available for new properties at a north Oxfordshire development.

At the Woodland Garden site in Bloxham, Bewley Homes is offering a choice of either a mortgage subsidy worth £350 a month for two years, a part-exchange deal on a buyer's existing home, stamp duty paid on their new home or having it fully carpeted and the garden turfed.

Claire Johnson, of general Carter Jonas, said: "All of these options offer tangible, valuable benefits to anyone buying a new home.

"For example, a £350 subsidy on a mortgage for two years can make a real difference to a family's budget and can be the one thing that opens the door for them."

Woodland Gardens is a secluded development of 37 homes on the edge of the village.

All houses contain en-suite bath or shower rooms, a range of appliances, gas-fired central heating with thermostatically-controlled radiators, a choice of kitchen and bathroom finishes and a ten-year building guarantee.

Ms Johnson added: "Flexibility and quality have been designed into these homes.

"A great example is the four-bedroom detached 'Orchid', which

is the last of this design available and priced at £395,000.

"It is bright and spacious, with a large kitchen and dining room with two sets of doors to the garden, creating a fantastic space for entertaining and ideal for a family with children.

"All of the houses are specified to a high standard, and with The Orchid you have the added bonus of extra space in a private, secluded position."

Prices at Woodland Gardens range from £225,000 to £395,000. The show home is open Thursday to Monday, 10am to 5pm.

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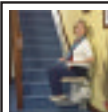
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By David Duffy

UNLESS you understand the sheer power of fashion, and its ability to overcome reason and open wallets, I do not think you will ever understand this Smart car.

Women know that they can buy a perfectly serviceable bag for a few pounds, but some yearn for a Chloe grained calfskin shoulder bag, which will lighten a bank account to the tune of £1,300.

Men can pick up an ultra-reliable wristwatch for a five, but some will only settle for a Girard Perregaux Evo 3 Laureato, that can set you back £10,000.

A two-seater Smart car can be put on the road for a little more than that outrageously-priced watch – but not this one. This is the Brabus Tailor Made, with an eye-watering price tag that tops £26,000.

A whole £6,000 of that is made up by the Tailor Made package, which transforms both the interior and exterior. On the outside it is clothed in Brabus bodywork – front spoiler, aero kit and twin-piped rear diffuser. Inside there is a glitteringly attractive, air-conditioned cabin with a contrasting diamond-stitched, leather-trimmed interior, which extends to the door panels, upper dashboard and even the floor mat edging. Each of the 18 dazzling Tailor Made colour schemes avail-

able has a supercar/heritage theme. These include the vibrant Campbell Blue, which pays homage to the iconic Bluebird land speed record cars built and tested at Brooklands, the home of Mercedes-Benz World.

What the Brabus Tailor Made retains is the Smart car's ability to deliver real fun at the wheel, as well as frugal consumption.

Powered by an 84 horsepower, three-cylinder, 999cc engine, the Brabus has a well-earned reputation as a rocket-powered rollerskate.

Nipping around town it is in its element, with a tight, sub-nine-metre, turning circle, the ability to squeeze through impossibly small gaps and to park nose in to the kerb.

But make no mistake, while the city is its playground, the Smart is perfectly capable of mixing with motorway-speed traffic, cruising comfortably, with surprising solidity, at 70mph. The car is also technolog-



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ically well advanced with electronic systems ranging from anti-lock brakes, electronic stability programme and skid control, all fitted as standard.

With such a small wheelbase and chunky 15-inch alloy wheels, ride and comfort are entirely in the hands of the road surface.

Travel on a recently-resurfaced stretch of road and the car is quiet and comfortable with a refined ride. Hit a section with a hotch-potch of pothole repairs, and it is not.

Auto facts

Model: Smart Brabus Tailor Made
Price: £26,136
Insurance group: Six (1-20)
Fuel consumption (Combined): 57.6mpg
Top speed: 96mph
Length: 269.5cm/106.1in
Width: 155.9cm/61.3in
Luggage capacity: 7.7 cu ft
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Range Rover punches well above its weight

IT'S not every day that you can get up close and personal with the world's oldest Range Rover, a pre-production Prototype 100/6, named for its 100-inch wheelbase and order of build, that represents the genesis of an icon spanning decades.

Having had little but a mid-1990s tidy-up since crossing the Sahara Desert twice 40 years ago, it's looking and feeling a little tired these days, but it was still seen for sale at the start of the year for just under £78,000...

Some of the special guests invited to the event by Land Rover had

history with the car, such as Mike Foster who hadn't seen 100/6 since he said goodbye to it in 1969.

Foster was Sahara Desert operations manager for adventure expedition company Minitrek Expeditions, and is a veteran of 40 Sahara missions having led 36 of them himself.

Back in 1969 he was tasked with a hush-hush assignment by British Leyland and Rover to desert-test two of its newest (and apparently top secret) vehicles, accompanied by a team from Rover itself. It was disguised with the name 'VELAR' to try to throw

journalists off the scent of what it was really going to be, but nonetheless the Japanese were there and watching when Prototype 100/6 and its slightly older brother Prototype 100/5 arrived in North Africa.

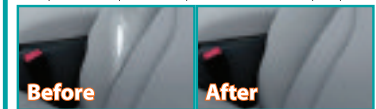
Number 100/5 was later deliberately destroyed as part of crash-testing at Rover's facilities in the Midlands, leaving this one as the oldest survivor.

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■ BMW has announced a visually tweaked version of its M3 super-coupe, called the Frozen Silver Edition. Just 100 of the cars will be produced. While it uses the same high-revving 414bhp V8 engine as the normal coupe, it rides 10mm lower with a revised version of BMW's Dynamic Stability Control Plus system. The colour, a metallic pale silver with a hint of frosty blue, is new to BMW and is paired with matt black 19-inch alloy wheels. The car will carry a price tag of £58,720 on the road.

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Good Condition

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1997, Silver,
1499Cc Engine,
Petrol, P reg,
Low mileage, 11
months MOT, 1
Owner, 2 new
tyres

£525ono

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93000 miles, tax
and mot, full
historyinc cambelt,
2 owners, excellent
condition.

**01869 250571
07748 637299**

£2,050

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Green, 2000,
1242cc, Petrol,
Alloys. Best one
around. New
cambelt, battery,
tyres, A/con.
Taxed till july, Mot
Feb 2013

07733830049

£950

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Fiesta, manual,
petrol, taxed till
end of June
and MOT till
Dec 2012, very
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FORD FOCUS

1. 6 Zetec,
Silver, 56reg,
2007, 61000
miles, 4 door,
Petrol, AirCon,
Alarm, Alloys,
CD, C/RL,
service history,
alloys, 12
months mot,
good condition
61000 miles

01993 774608

£4,250

FORD FOCUS



Silver, 2003,
1596cc, Petrol,
AirCon, Alloys, CD,
C/RL good clean
car drives all good
full ford servies
history 140000
miles.

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£1,295

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FORD FOCUS



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automatic petrol, Air
Con, full service
history, MoT April
2013, Tax Sept,
excellent condition
throughout, genuine
reason for sale,
33,400 miles

01993 852458

£3,250

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2.0LTR, 2004,
1988cc, Auto, Ghia ,
sun roof, alloys, 6cd
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June mot Dec
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green metallic,FSH,
superb car, 80,000
miles

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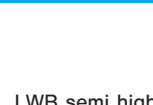


Silver, 2003,
1596cc, Petrol,
Alloys, C/RL Manual
5 speed, 5 door
hatchback. One
owner. FSH by main
dealer. MOT/tax
March2013 46000
miles

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£2,400

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top. 2.5 TD,
MOT, low
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1995, on
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88k, history, long
mot, taxed end
June, bargain

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95,000, MoT Jan
2013, Tax June
2012. No texting

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4dr Auto, 2005,
Grey, 2720Cc
Engine, Diesel,
Airbag, Alarm,
ABS, E/M, E/W,
Leather Seats,
PAS, RC/L, Mot
Nov 2012,
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condition, 1
careful owner,
FSH

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diesel, alarm, alloys,
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MOT Feb13, FSH,
CD, Cruise Control,
E/Seat's&Mrs, PAS,
Alloys, 2 owners,
same owner since
15k, VGC

£4250o.n.o

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MINI

MINI COOPER 1.6L 2007



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black & white check
roof, petrol, manual,
vgc, fsh, tax (£120)
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e/w, alloys, airbags,
radio/cd player, 51k
miles. View in Chipp-
enham or Bristol

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£6,450

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NISSAN MICRA



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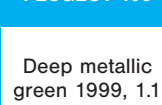


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Genuine reason
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months MoT,
Tax July, full
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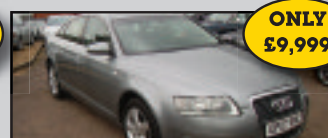
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